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FOR THE

YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1884.

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Collector's Report.

Amount of tax bill for the year 1883, including the non-resident highway tax,	$1796 05
Paid the Treasurer in money orders and abatements,	1470 00
Leaving in Collector's hands due the town for 1883,	$326 05
Amount in the Collector's hands due the town for 1882,	8333 28
Paid the Treasurer in money orders and abatements,	224 72
Leaving in Collector's hands due the town for 1882,	$108 56
Amount in Collector's hands due the town, 1881,	332 98
Paid the Treasurer in money orders and abatements	258 98
Leaving in hands of Collector, due the town for 1881,	$74 00
Amount in Collector's hands for 1876-7-8-9,	4 89
Paid the Treasurer in money orders and abatements,	9 43
Leaving in Collector's hands for 1876-7-8-9,	
Amount in Collector's hands for 1875,	30 63
Paid the Treasurer in money orders and abatements,	20 00
Leaving in Collector's hands for 1875,	$10 63

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Treasurer's Report for the year ending March 1st, 1884.

Received of Treasurer for the year		1882,	464 78
Collector	"	1883,	1470 00
"	"	1880-81,	258 98
"	"	1882,	224 72
"	"	1876-7-8-9,	9 43
"	"	1875,	20 00
Literary fund,			34 17
Saving Bank tax,			30 31
Railroad tax,			20 38
James Morrill on note,			8 00
Enoch C. Eastman on note,			13 54
County,			62 82
Bounty on crows and woodchucks,			6 90
Gustavus B. Wells, for Cow,			25 00
William H. Perkins, for plow,			13 00
Mrs. Hale, for hay,			20 00
New Hampshire Report,			10 00
John C. Waldron, highway tax,			4 06
			$2696 09

Expenditures.

Paid State Tax,	$200 00
County Tax,	308 74
C. O. Barney, printing Reports, and books,	15 20
R. Batchelder, use of school-house,	5 00

J. H. French, money paid out,	15 55
Nathaniel Whittier, 4th, guide post and setting,	50
John Fernald, car fare to pay State tax,	1 80
E. M. Tucker return of births and deaths,	1 00
Herman G. Chellis, damage on road,	1 00
J. A. Green, painting guide-boards,	5 91
A. G. Lowell, making guide-boards,	1 20
Jesse Pierce, school-house tax,	4 02
G. W. Cilley, damage on road,	1 00
E. N. Swett, damage to horse,	15 00
Fidelia Gove, keeping E. N. Swett horse,	1 00
Adoniram Ford, cost of advertising lot No. 34,	5 15
" " and tax on Glass Ledge,	14 74
Herman G. Hadley, lumber,	90
Adoniram Ford, money paid out,	1 50
Charles A. Ford, tax and cost on two lots sold for taxes in 1882,	27 36
J. H. French, bounty on woodchucks,	1 10
" " " crows,	5 80
	$633 47

Highway Orders.

Paid J. C. Waldron, work on road,	$9 35
J. H. French, "	11 25
Enoch C. Eastman, " 1882,	18 50
Henry J. Brock, for 1882,	5 25
F. W. Stickney, bridge bolts, 1882,	2 25
Horace B. Corliss, work,	3 50
Joseph C. Chapman, "	1 35
William Redden, "	6 50
Daniel Sanborn, "	3 00
William N. Redden, "	3 00
Jasper H. Cilley, "	9 91
Jonathan J. Smith, plank,	5 00
I. N. Hobart, work,	3 30
William H. Perkins, work, 1882,	35 81
Enoch C. Eastman, " "	1 00

H. G. Hadley, plank 1882,	1 20
B. F. Andrew, plank,	34 36
Adoniram Ford, work,	3 00
Caleb R. Waldron, "	3 50
Jasper H. Cilley, "	1 20
Russell Sanborn,	43
John Fernald,	2 00
Josiah Plummer,	1 50
	$166 16

Non-resident Highway Orders.

Paid Elijah Smith,	2 80
"	2 13
"	3 20
"	65
Robert Underhill,	1 92
Norman Hadley,	1 50
William H. Barney,	65
William Whittier,	1 28
John Bullock,	1 80
Joseph Briggs,	10 71
Alfred Davis,	6 81
George W. Davis,	99
Moses Randall,	2 55
James Buffum,	1 50
"	2 25
Henry C. Johnson,	2 25
E. E. Follansbee,	1 40
Mary Martin,	2 55
Jesse Barney,	6 80
E. E. Follansbee,	66
Peter S. Braley,	1 50
Martin V. B. Sleeper,	3 40
L. N. Gifford,	1 50
E. T. Gifford,	3 00
	$63 80

School Money.

Paid Reuben Batchelder,	District	No. 1,	$61 85
Jesse Barney,	"	2,	25 32
Dudley S. Folsom,	"	3,	44 79
William H. Sanborn,	"	4,	53 94
Charles T. Smith,	"	5,	31 49
Orra H. Heath,	"	6,	52 02
Lorenzo N. Cilley,	"	7,	68 31
Union,			12 28
			$350 00

Literary Fund for 1883.

Paid Reuben Batchelder,	District	No. 1,	$4 88
" "	"	2,	4 88
Dudley S. Folsom,	"	3,	4 88
Henry Sanborn,	"	4,	4 88
Charles T. Smith,	"	5,	4 88
Orra H. Heath,	"	6,	4 88
Lorenzo N. Cilley,	"	7,	4 88
			$34 16
Henry Sanborn, 1882,			4 60
Charles T. Smith, "			1 47
Benaiah Wheeler, 1881,			1 74
W. H. Barney, 1882,			2 80
			$44 77

Abatements for 1883.

Mary A. Hale,	$6 53
Henry E. Elliott,	1 90
Josiah Plummer, overtax,	1 90
	$10 33

Abatements for 1879.

Rufus Hill,	$2 58
Charles E. Kemp,	75

Jonathan J. Smith, paid in Vermont,	1 25
Charles T. Smith,	1 25
John W. Smith,	1 25
	$7 08

Abatements for 1878.

Frank Morse,	$1 35
Charles A. McConnell, dog tax,	1 00
	$2 35

Abatements for 1875.

Mary Martin,	$1 24
I. B. Sargent,	1 63
	$2 87

Abatements for 1882.

George W. Berry,	$2 18
George W. Davis,	1 58
Moses T. Hale,	6 88
David P. Dunbar,	2 85
Isaac B. Gove, paid in Groton,	1 36
George W. Cilley,	1 36
	$16 21

Abatements for 1881.

George W. Berry,	$3 62
Michael Ladeaux,	1 74
	$5 36

Breaking Roads.

Paid in Reuben Batchelder district,	$9 11
Charles H. Ford "	26 29
John Fernald "	26 72
Drew Hadley "	4 92

Joseph C. Chapman	"	5 04
Caleb R. Waldron	"	7 10
B. F. Terrill	"	2 88
W. E. Brock	"	3 42
Russell Sanborn	"	16 28
Daniel Sanborn	"	21 22
W. H. Perkins	"	17 65
W. N. Redden	"	17 42
Jasper H. Cilley	"	12 32
Josiah Plummer	"	3 25
Henry J. Brock	"	1 89
Levi E. Flanders	"	15 71
		$191 22

Town Pauper Bills.

Paid Daniel Sanborn, work for Mrs. M. T. Hale,		$5 50
J. H. French, goods	"	16 22
Russell Sanborn, work	"	1 25
Lorenzo N. Cilley, work	"	1 25
George W. Cilley, "	"	2 90
Warren Stevens, "	"	90
Willie L. Dimond, "	"	66
Russell Sanborn, "	"	4 31
Wm. H. Sanborn, "	"	36
Irving H. Sanborn, "	"	3 82
Caleb R. Waldron, "	"	4 12
Daniel Sanborn, "	"	8 67
J. M. Hutchinson, "	"	6 90
Nathan G. Cilley, "	"	1 50
Sarah Lowell, support Ida Hale, 1882,		12 00
M. H. Milton, goods for Mrs. M. T. Hale,		1 18
A. E. Barney, "	"	19 56
A. E. Barney, goods for Harvey Martin,		2 50
J. H. French, "	"	1 03
E. M. Tucker, M. D., attending Etta Morse,		31 50
A. E. Barney, goods for Mrs. David Morse,		1 00
A. B. Hoyt, M. D., attending Hannah O. Martin, 1881,		13 00

Henry D. Dustin, support of Gustavus Wells,	30 74
Samuel A. Hardy " "	24 69
" "	1 50
Henry D. Dustin, " "	6 10
G. C. Curtice, " "	4 47
	$207 63

County Pauper Bills.

Paid Caleb R. Waldron, car fare to Haverhill,	$4 00
James Morrill, support of Dolly Stoning,	39 75
A. E. Barney, Mrs. David Morse,	4 96
Mrs. H. M. French, making dress for Mrs. David Morse,	1 11
E. M. Tucker, M. D., attending Etta Morse,	1 90
	$51 72

Town Officers' Bills.

Paid John H. French, 1st Selectman,	$43 00
Levi E. Flanders, 2d "	17 25
Caleb R. Waldron, 3d, "	18 00
E. I. Lowell, Town Clerk,	10 00
John Fernald, Treasurer,	10 00
Adoniram Ford, Collector,	35 00
Clara A. Huse, School Committee,	20 00
Charles H. Ford, Auditor,	2 50
W. H. Perkins, Supervisor, 1882,	9 00
H. G. Chellis, " "	3 00
	$167 75

Amount of Notes and Interest

Against the Town March 1st, 1884.

Belinda L. Briggs,	$1397 88
Arthur A. Briggs,	159 07
	$1556 95

Amounts Brought Forward.

Expenditures,	$635 47
Highway Orders,	164 16
Non Resident Highway Orders,	63 80
School Money,	350 00
Literary Fund,	44 77
Abatements,	44 20
Breaking Roads,	191 22
Town Pauper Bills,	207 63
County Pauper Bills,	51 72
Town Officers' Bills,	167 75
	$1920 72
Amount received by Treasurer,	2696 09
Amount paid out,	1920 72
Leaving in Treasurer's hands due the town,	775 37

Availabilities.

In hands of Collector for 1883,	$326 05
" " 1882,	108 56
" " 1881,	74 00
" " 1875,	10 63
Due from County,	27 92
James Morrill,	48 07
Daniel Sanborn,	143 27
Levi E. Flanders,	66 59
William H. and Frank H. Perkins,	104 50
In hands of Treasurer for 1883,	775 37
Lumber on hand,	25 00
Hay in Mrs. Hale barn,	25 00
	$1734 96
Availabilities of town,	$1734 96
Amount of notes and interest against the town, Mar. 1st, 1884,	1556 95
Balance in favor of town,	$178 01

C. HUBBARD FORD, *Auditor.*

School Report.

DISTRICT NO. 1.

Reuben Batchelder, Prudential Committee. Both terms were taught by Miss Emma J. Barnard. The summer school was very good, but in the winter term there was a great lack of order, some of the scholars seeming to have but little respect for themselves or teacher. The examination in some of the classes was very good. In others they were not thorough.

DISTRICT NO. 2.

Jesse Barney, Prudential Committee. One term only, taught by Miss Jennie S. Barney. Miss Barney has taught this school several terms, and always with good success.

DISTRICT NO. 3.

Dudley Folsom, Prudential Committee. Only one term, taught by Miss Nellie J. Barber. This was her first attempt at teaching, with very satisfactory results. This was one of the most orderly schools in town. Examination good.

DISTRICT NO. 4.

William H. Sanborn, Prudential Committee. First term was taught by Mrs. Fannie F. Perkins. This was rather a short term, but the improvement was very good. Second term, Miss Lucy Eastman, teacher. She easily won the good will of her scholars, and seems well adapted to teaching. The examination was very good.

DISTRICT NO. 5.

Charles T. Smith, Prudential Committee. One term, Miss Ida M.

Keniston, teacher. The school appeared well at the first of the term, but as I was not notified of its close in time to make a second visit, I am unable to make a full report.

DISTRICT NO. 6.

Orra H. Heath, Prudential Committee. Miss Amy E. Wells, teacher. This was her first attempt at teaching. She labored faithfully for the good of this school, but as usual in this district, the scholars were very irregular in attendance. Those that were present at both visits had made commendable improvement.

DISTRICT NO. 7.

L. N. Cilley, Prudential Committee. First term, Miss Belle M. Barber, teacher. The order was not good, consequently the school was not so profitable as it otherwise might have been. Second term, Miss Hattie M. Gove, teacher. Miss Gove seems very much at home in the school room, and makes teaching a pleasure instead of a task. The order was very good, and the examination perfectly satisfactory.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Martha J. Flanders, Phebe A. Eastman, Walter H. Hadley, Hamilton R. Flanders, Nellie M. Barney, Addie L. Martin, Hattie B. Martin, Sidney R. Heath. First term, Lizzie M. Sanborn, Everett E. Eastman. Second term, Everett E. Eastman. First term, Blanche M. Brock, Susie M. Dimond, Luella M. Huse, Livie A. Huse, Victor F. Huse, Daniel F. Brock, Elmer H. Brock, Herbert L. Cilley. Second term, Luella M. Huse, Livie A. Huse, Victor F. Huse, Willie L. Dimond, Florence L. Cilley, Herbert L. Cilley.

REMARKS.

In reporting our schools to the public, I have endeavored to represent them correctly, as I believe is the duty of every Superintendent. Most of our schools during the past year have been very good, and all might have been, had the teachers made order one of the first rules of school and insisted upon having it obeyed. If large scholars will persist in breaking the rules, have them expelled at once, for if

they are not orderly the first part of the term they certainly will not be the last. The Registers are all returned, but not so well filled as usual. The law should have been put in force, and every teacher required to fill them properly before receiving pay for services, then a correct report could have been made, but now it is impossible. The number of visits by Prudential Committees are two, one made by L. N. Cilley, in district No. 7, summer term, and one by Mr. D. Folsom in district No. 3. The largest number of visits by citizens of any one district was fifteen in No. 7. Number of visits by Supt. Com. 19.

There have been some improvements made in our schools during the past year, one in Spelling, by using the blank writing speller, which stimulates the pupil to correct efforts, and preserves the daily lessons of the term. Also History has been used in some of our schools, once a day in place of the Reading Book, thereby giving the pupils an opportunity of learning something of the History of the United States, without taking the time occupied with other studies. Book-keeping has also been introduced in some districts, and I hope another year it will be used throughout the town. Our teachers have made good use of the blackboard during the past year, with both large and small scholars.

I trust another year our Committees will be careful in selecting teachers, and engage only those who have established a good reputation as teachers, remembering that a poor teacher is worse than none, and a successful teacher is cheap at any reasonable price.

CLARA A. HUSE, *Supt. Com.*

Orange, N. H.

STATISTICAL TABLE.

No. of Districts.	Whole No. Pupils.	Length in weeks.	Wages of Teachers per month.	Average at'nd'nce.	No. in Reading.	No. in Spelling.	No. in Writing.	No. in Arithmetic.	No. in Geography.	No. in Grammar.	No. in History.	No. Bookkeeping.
1	8	5	$17.40	7	8	8	2	6	6	1	0	0
	10	9	17.40	6	12	12	6	10	4	3	0	1
2	5	7	17.00	4.6	5	5	3	5	3	1	1	0
3	8	12.4	15.00	5	8	8	5	6	2	0	0	0
4	6	6	14.00		6	6	0	3	0	0	0	0
	13	9	15.20	10	13	12	6	9	4	2	0	0
5	6	10	13.00	4	6	6	4	5	0	0	0	0
6	11	13	16.00		11	11	2	4	2	2	0	0
7	11	6	14.00	11	11	11	8	8	3	1	1	0
	17	10	18.00	11	17	17	2	10	5	2	1	0

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